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U. S. GOVERNMENT  
M E M O R A N D U M

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-107261)  
FROM: SAC, KANSAS CITY (62-7797) P

Date: 11/19/73

MINUTEMEN  
EM - MM  
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Classified and Extended by 9264  
Reason for Extension 2  
Date of Review for 5-17-02

Re Kansas City airtel to Bureau 10/24/73.

(u) Enclosed for recipient offices is a list of names and addresses of individuals attending the Liberty Lobby's annual convention at Kansas City 10/19-21/73.

(u) The Liberty Lobby held its third annual convention at the Muehlebach Hotel, Kansas City, Missouri, 10/19-21/73. Principal speaker was [redacted] of the Minutemen organization. On 10/19/73 [redacted] warned an audience of about 500 attending a testimonial banquet for him of the dangers of world leadership. [redacted]

[redacted] and an established source (PROTECT IDENTITY) advised it is his understanding the Liberty Lobby convention was held in Kansas City because [redacted] could not travel outside this area without special permission of his parole officer. b7c b7d b7c

(u) 2 Bureau (Enc. 2)(RM)  
1 Albany (157-669) (Enc.)(RM)  
1 Alexandria (157-188) "  
1 Atlanta (157-273) "  
1 Birmingham (157-3961) "  
1 Buffalo (100-16587) "  
1 Butte (157-265) "  
1 Charlotte (157-7400) "  
1 Chicago (157-5219) "  
1 Cincinnati (157-3250) "  
1 Cleveland (100-25679) "  
1 Dallas (157-1592) "  
1 Denver (62-1494) "  
1 Detroit (100-29942) "  
1 El Paso (157-285) 157-823-4471  
1 Houston (62-1802) "  
1 Indianapolis (157-2285) "  
1 Jackson (62-2) "  
2 Kansas City  
1 Jacksonville (100-447) (Enc.)(RM)  
1 Knoxville (62-692) "  
1 Little Rock (157-1704) "  
1 Los Angeles (62-5101) "  
1 Miami (157-3385) "  
1 Milwaukee (62-1060) "  
1 Minneapolis (157-873) "  
1 Mobile (157-3386) "  
1 Newark (157-4297) "  
1 New Orleans (62-3395) "  
1 New York (62-12699) "  
1 Oklahoma City "  
1 Omaha (100-6594) "  
1 Philadelphia (157-447) "  
1 Phoenix (157-620) "  
1 Pittsburgh (157-1402) "  
1 Portland (157-886) "  
1 Sacramento (157-10) "  
1 St. Louis (157-4502) "

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1 Salt Lake City (157-249)(Enc.)(RM)  
1 San Antonio (157-1900) "  
1 Seattle (100-25625) "  
1 Springfield (157-1887) "  
1 Tampa (157-4336) "  
1 WFO (157-2838) "

It should be noted that the "Liberty Lobby" is a private organization with headquarters at 300 Independence Avenue NW, Washington, D.C., and is engaged in publishing and promoting conservative political objectives.

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[REDACTED]  
Kansas City, Missouri Police Department (PROTECT IDENTITY), advised there were approximately 180 rooms obtained from out of town individuals for this convention at the Muehlebach. There was also a \$25 registration fee per person. This source furnished Xerox copies of registration forms completed by out-of-towners attending this convention. These copies have been placed in the 1B Section of the Kansas City Minutemen file. A list of names and addresses of individuals appearing on these copies were alphabetized and is being submitted to interested offices for their information.

It is to be noted attendance at this convention did not denote Minutemen membership or membership in any other organization.

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

KOCH, GERDA  
2001 1st Avenue South  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55406

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC, MINNEAPOLIS (157-3450) (C)

DATE: 9/10/74

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED  
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DATE 4/13/98 BY agl

SUBJECT: IDENTITY GROUP, aka  
Ministry of Christ Church  
U. S. Christian Posse Association  
Posse Comitatus  
EM - WHG

ReLAlet to Director 7/17/74.

The LHM with referenced letter furnished the names of persons within the Minneapolis Division in a booklet entitled "Identity Directory For All Anglo-Saxon, Celtic and Kindred Peoples," 1974 edition. Page 22 listed the names of those within this division and indices checks have been conducted with following results:

Indices were negative regarding [REDACTED]

Indices contain numerous references to GERDA KOCH and she is well known to the Minneapolis Division and her background has been obtained and Bureau advised.

Indices contained <sup>one</sup> no reference to Pastor [REDACTED] Hibbing, Minnesota, which is file 100-11656-54 which identified [REDACTED] as on the mailing list receiving sermons from [REDACTED] identified as [REDACTED] of the Ku Klux Klan.

Referenced letter suggested that names be indexed and indices and files reviewed for pertinent information and if a preliminary inquiry is necessary it should be limited to contact with established sources.

It does not appear that any preliminary inquiry is warranted on the above listed individuals and it is recommended that these names be indexed and this file be closed.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM : SAC, MILWAUKEE (157-2768) (P)

SUBJECT: SHERIFF'S POSSE COMITATUS, aka  
EM

OO: PORTLAND

DATE: 11/7/74

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DATE 4/13/98 BY agl

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Reference Butel to Little Rock and other  
offices dated 10/10/74.

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Exempt from GDS, Category 2  
Date of Declassification Indefinite

- 2 - Bureau (Enc. 10) (RM)  
2 - Portland (Enc. 2) (RM)  
② - Minneapolis (Enc. 2) (RM)  
2 - Los Angeles (Enc. 2) (RM)  
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2 - Newark (Enc. 2) (RM)  
2 - El Paso (Enc. 2) (RM)

13 - Milwaukee

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1 - [REDACTED]

1 - 157-2817 (MANITOWOC COUNTY SPC)

1 - 157-2819 (MARATHON COUNTY SPC)

1 - 157-2821 (GRANT COUNTY SPC)

1 - 157-2823 (TAYLOR COUNTY SPC)

1 - 157- (PIERCE COUNTY SPC)

1-157-2825 (WINNEBAGO  
COUNTY SPC)

1-157-2827 (SHAWANO  
COUNTY SPC)

1-157- (CHIPPENAW  
COUNTY SPC)

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COUNTY SPC)

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Enclosed for the Bureau are ten (10) copies of an LHM regarding the Americans for Constitutional Government and Law, the Midwest Tax and Posse Comitatus Convention held on October 19-20, 1974. Two additional copies are being furnished the Bureau for dissemination to IRS and Secret Service, at headquarters. Two copies of instant LHM are enclosed for each recipient office captioned and dated as above.

Copies of LHM are being furnished IRS, Milwaukee, Secret Service, Milwaukee, Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, Milwaukee, and USA, Milwaukee and Madison, Wisconsin.

For information Bureau and receiving offices, according to sources in attendance at captioned convention, many of the attendants claimed membership in the John Birch Society and American Party in addition to the SPC. Sources further advised that many of the attendees were not members of the SPC. No investigation should be conducted regarding any individual for mere attendance at captioned convention. Recipients should carefully review LHM for individuals from their respective divisions who were in attendance at captioned convention for indexing purposes. Should a review of pertinent files indicate a preliminary inquiry is deemed warranted, Bureau should be advised.

Milwaukee Division will, on a separate communication, set out license numbers observed in the vicinity of the convention for appropriate offices.

Individual conducting review of pertinent Wisconsin newspapers mentioned in LHM is SA [REDACTED]

The enclosed LHM is being classified to protect the identities of third and fourth sources mentioned in LHM.

Two copies of an FD 376 are attached to LHM.

INFORMANTS

Identity

Location

First source is [REDACTED]

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Second source is a source who is in a position to furnish information of this type

157-2768-31 and instant LHM

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FBI - MINNEAPOLIS



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

November 7, 1974

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11/20/97

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SHERIFF'S POSSE COMITATUS

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On October 21, 1974, fifth source made available the following information regarding persons registered at the Red Carpet Inn for the Americans for Constitutional Government and Law Convention. According to the fifth source, the majority of the registered guests for the convention were located in the Expo rooms which is a block of rooms located near the Expo Hall. However, according to fifth source, many of the registered guests rented other rooms throughout the hotel and there was no way of relating these persons to the convention unless their registration card reflected they were with the convention.

The following is a list of individuals making advance registrations in their own name under the Americans for Constitutional Government and Law Convention:

[REDACTED] made advance registrations to hold 100 rooms on October 18, 1974, and an additional 200 rooms on October 19, 1974

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

(No name given)  
[REDACTED] School of Education  
California State University  
1600 Holloway Avenue  
San Francisco, California

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SHERIFF'S POSSE COMITATUS

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Gerda Koch  
2624 1st Avenue, South  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55408

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